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FOR DEPUTY SECRETARY ROBINSON FROM FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION  
CHAIRMAN BAKKE

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EWWT, UR, US

SUBJ: FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION ANNOUNCES US-USSR "MEMOR-  
ANDUM AGREEMENT"

REF: STATE 179079 AND 179532

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH SOVIET MINISTRY OF MERCHANT  
MARINE CONCERNS COMMITMENT TO PRINCIPLES GOVERNING PARTICI-  
PATION OF SOVIET MERCHANT CARRIERS IN U.S. LINER TRADES.

PURSUANT TO SHIPPING ACT, 1916, FMC IS RESPONSIBLE FOR MATTERS  
INVOLVING U.S. LINER TRADES, THEREBY MAKING SUBJECT MATTER  
OF AGREEMENT IN QUESTION UNIQUELY WITHIN JURISDICTION AND  
COMPETENCE OF THE FMC. SUGGEST REFERENCE TO YOUR STATE  
179079, WITH WHICH I CONCUR AS ACCURATELY CHARACTERIZING NATURE  
OF THE AGREEMENT.

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